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The Honorable Lewis A. Kaplan United Stated District Judge Southern District of New York Daniel Patrick Moynihan Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: United States v. Sylvia Ash, 19 Cr. 780 (LAK)

Dear Judge Kaplan,

Counsel for Ms. Ash respectfully submits this letter in connection with her motion filed pursuant to Rule 33 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure (the "Rule 33 Motion") to set aside the jury's verdict and for a new trial with respect to Counts One, Three, and Four of the Superseding Indictment in the above-referenced matter. (ECF No. 158.) Undersigned counsel has conferred with the government and the parties jointly propose the following briefing schedule for such motion, which comports with the Court's direction that any motion be fully submitted on or before March 1, 2022, (Trial Tr. at 1070):

- Ms. Ash's opening brief due on January 21; 2022;
- The government's answer due on February 11, 2022; and
- Ms. Ash's reply brief, if any, due on February 18, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Carrie H. Cohen

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cc: Counsel of Record (via ECF)